



THE TUESDAY



April 6, 2009

Dear Mountain Oak School Community

Silk scarves, paper dyed blown eggs, candles decorated with fine beeswax and sunflower seeds planted in rich, dark soil. These items were what many delighted children carried in their arms as they headed home from the Spring Festival. Earlier in the day, people hungry to win a cake lined up on the basketball court ready to take their chances at the cake walk. There were lots of beautiful and delicious cakes to be had. At the gateway to the early childhood garden the keepers of the magical egg hunt kept a close eye as seekers of the truth behind the great eggs were hunting the grounds for the mysteriously colored objects. Student musicians played their violins, parents served food in the Snack Garden Café and the magical pocket lady led children on an adventure right where they stood. A curriculum room displayed the excellent work of the students from

the wee ones to the tallest children in the school. All who attended the Spring Festival must have had a refreshing spring day. Thank you to the parents for your support toward this festival. Hurray for the teachers in planning and organizing this well-attended event.

April 17th is the Mountain Oak **Music Assembly**. Come one come all to hear the fabulous fourth grade play the violins, the fifth grade folk music, big booming percussion sounds, choral performances and more. Those parents in the younger grades come see what your children will be doing with music in their future at Mountain Oak. Music begins at 6:00pm at Mile High Middle School.

Warmly,
Cindy Roe



Read All About It...



- ♥ Last week to pick up your students **Progress Reports** in the office. Unclaimed Reports will be mailed next week.
- ♥ 2009-2010 **School Year Calendars** can also be picked up in the office.
- ♥ **Music Assembly** next Friday, April 17th at Mile High Middle School, 6 to 7pm (students should arrive at 5:45p). 4th—8th graders will be performing— all are welcome to attend.
- ♥ **Join MOS at the Eggstravaganza sponsored by the City of Prescott.** We will have a booth representing Mountain Oak at this beautiful spring event on this Saturday 9:30-3:00, downtown. Please volunteer for a 2 hour shift to talk about Mountain Oak and do a craft with children. Please call Rhonda James 928-776-1657
- ♥ **The Book Fair is Here!** In Mrs. Craig's First Grade Classroom through this Friday, April 10. The hours are **7:45-8:15 a.m.** and **2:45-3:30 p.m.** Hope to see you there!

Raffle for a \$25,000 Lorenzo Ghiglieri Statue

Support the 8th Graders as they fundraise for their class trip to Washington DC!

View the statue at the Ian Russell Gallery, Old Firehouse Plaza, 220 W. Goodwin St., Suite 4, 445-7009. Purchase tickets at the gallery or at the school (541-7700). Tickets are \$30 each or 2 for \$50, and limited to 600 total. For further information, visit

www.mountainoakschool.org/statue.html

Drawing held this Friday
4/10/09!!!!





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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
5	6	7 <i>Today</i>	8	9	10	11 Eggstrava- ganza! On the Square
	Scholastic Book Fair!!		Details in 'Read All About It...'			
		Board Mtg				
12	13	14	15	16 Walk thru the Grades- RSVP	17 Music Assembly 4th-8th grades	18
19	20	21 Lunch Orders Due!	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30 6th grade Class Play 11am & 7pm	May 1 Mag Festival During School @ Gran- ite Creek Park.	

▼ Check www.mountainoakschool.org, calendar, monthly. It is our own up-to-date and detailed calendar on Google. It is updated weekly, and not only has holidays and Festivals, but fundraisers, field trips, parent meetings and more. Click on any event to read the details. Talk to Martha in the office if you want to add an event or make any changes to events.



Boys to Men Mentoring Network / Prescott Area Center

Announces its first

Rites of Passage Adventure Weekend

June 5 – 7, 2009

Boys to Men Mentoring Network is a nonprofit organization created in 1997 to guide boys 13 – 17 years of age through their passage to manhood. We provide boys with mentoring and modeling so that they learn integrity, accountability, compassion and respect. We help boys develop responsibility and guide them toward healthy manhood.

The Rites of Passage Weekend, which supports boys in making conscious decisions about what kind of man they want to be, begins Friday, June 5th at 6:00 pm and is completed by 2:00 pm on Sunday, June 7th.

The Weekend will be held at a camp in the Prescott National Forest and costs \$295 per boy. No boy will be turned away based on financial ability to pay. Following the weekend, the boys will be known as Journeymen and will be able to participate in group mentoring activities twice a month as well as staff future weekends in support of other youth.

For more information and to discuss enrolling your son in the Weekend, please contact:

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